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SUMMARY STATEMENT BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL ON MATTERS OF WHICH THE SECURITY COUNCIL IS SEIZED AND ON THE STAGE REACHED IN THEIR CONSIDERATION

Addendum

Pursuant to rule 11 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the Secretary-General is submitting the following summary statement.

The list of items of which the Security Council is seized is contained in documents S/1994/20 of 20 January 1994, S/1994/20/Add.3 of 3 February 1994, S/1994/20/Add.12 of 8 April 1994, S/1994/20/Add.14 of 21 April 1994, S/1994/20/Add.21 of 10 June 1994, S/1994/20/Add.33 of 31 August 1994 and S/1994/20/Add.43 of 11 November 1994.

During the week ending 12 November 1994, the Security Council took action on the following items:

The situation in Tajikistan and along the Tajik-Afghan border (see S/25070/Add.34 and S/1994/20/Add.37; see also S/23370/Add.43)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 3452nd meeting, held on 8 November 1994, in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of Tajikistan, at his request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President stated that, following consultations of the Council, he had been authorized to make a statement on behalf of the Council and read out the text of that statement (for the full text, see S/PRST/1994/65; to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Forty-ninth Year, Resolutions and decisions of the Security Council, 1994).

The situation concerning Rwanda (see S/25070/Add.10, S/25070/Add.25, S/25070/Add.36, S/25070/Add.40, S/25070/Add.51, S/1994/20, S/1994/20/Add.6, S/1994/20/Add.13, S/1994/20/Add.15, S/1994/20/Add.16, S/1995/20/Add.19, S/1994/20/Add.22, S/1994/20/Add.24, S/1994/20/Add.25, S/1994/20/Add.27, S/1994/20/Add.31 and S/1994/20/Add.40)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 3453rd meeting, held on 8 November 1994, in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations. Having before it the report of the Secretary-General on the establishment of the Commission of Experts pursuant to paragraph 1 of Security Council resolution 935 (1994) (S/1994/879) and the letter dated 29 July 1994 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/1994/906), the Council considered the establishment of an international tribunal for the prosecution of persons responsible for serious violations of international humanitarian law committed in the territory of Rwanda and Rwandan citizens responsible for such violations committed in the territory of neighbouring States.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution (S/1994/1168), which had been submitted by Argentina, France, New Zealand, the Russian Federation, Spain, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/1994/1168 and adopted it by 13 votes in favour to 1 against (Rwanda) with 1 abstention (China) as resolution 955 (1994) (for the full text, see S/RES/955 (1994); to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Forty-ninth Year, Resolutions and decisions of the Security Council, 1994).

The situation in the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina (see S/23370/Add.36, S/23370/Add.40, S/23370/Add.43, S/23370/Add.45, S/25070/Add.1, S/25070/Add.4, S/25070/Add.7, S/25070/Add.8, S/25070/Add.9, S/25070/Add.11, S/25070/Add.12, S/25070/Add.13, S/25070/Add.15, S/25070/Add.16, S/25070/Add.18, S/25070/Add.19, S/25070/Add.22, S/25070/Add.23, S/25070/Add.24 and Corr.1, S/25070/Add.26, S/25070/Add.29, S/25070/Add.34, S/25070/Add.37, S/25070/Add.45, S/1994/20, S/1994/20/Add.4, S/1994/20/Add.6, S/1994/20/Add.8, S/1994/20/Add.10, S/1994/20/Add.13, S/1994/20/Add.14, S/1994/20/Add.15, S/1994/20/Add.16, S/1994/20/Add.17, S/1994/20/Add.20, S/1994/20/Add.21, S/1994/20/Add.23, S/1994/20/Add.25, S/1994/20/Add.34, S/1994/20/Add.37, and S/1994/20/Add.38; see also S/22110/Add.38, S/22110/Add.47, S/22110/Add.50, S/23370/Add.1, S/23370/Add.5, S/23370/Add.7, S/23370/Add.14, S/23370/Add.16, S/23370/Add.19, S/23370/Add.21, S/23370/Add.23, S/23370/Add.24, S/23370/Add.26, S/23370/Add.28, S/23370/Add.29, S/23370/Add.31, S/23370/Add.32, S/23370/Add.35, S/23370/Add.37, S/23370/Add.40, S/23370/Add.46, S/23370/Add.49, S/23370/Add.50, S/25070/Add.4, S/25070/Add.8, S/25070/Add.13, S/25070/Add.17, S/25070/Add.21, S/25070/Add.24 and Corr.1, S/25070/Add.26, S/25070/Add.28, S/25070/Add.30, S/25070/Add.32, S/25070/Add.33, S/25070/Add.37, S/25070/Add.39, S/25070/Add.40, S/25070/Add.41, S/25070/Add.42, S/1994/20/Add.12, S/1994/20/Add.26 and S/1994/20/Add.31)

By a letter dated 3 November 1994 addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/1994/1248), the Permanent Representative of Pakistan to the United Nations requested an urgent meeting of the Security Council to consider

the situation in the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina in the light of resolution 49/10 adopted on the matter by the General Assembly on 3 November 1994.

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 3454th meeting, held on 8 and 9 November 1994, in response to the above request. There were two suspensions and two resumptions of the meeting.

On 8 November 1994, the President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Afghanistan, Albania, Algeria, Bangladesh, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brunei Darussalam, Bulgaria, Cambodia, Canada, Croatia, Ecuador, Egypt, Germany, Guinea-Bissau, Honduras, Indonesia, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Jordan, Latvia, Malaysia, Morocco, Nicaragua, Norway, the Republic of Korea, Romania, Senegal, Slovenia, the Sudan, Tunisia and Turkey, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited Ambassador Dragomir Djokić, at his request, to address the Council in the course of the discussion of the item before it.

Upon resumption of the meeting on 9 November 1994, the President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of Thailand, at his request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

Also, in response to the request contained in a letter dated 9 November 1994 from the Permanent Representative of Pakistan to the United Nations, on behalf of the members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference (S/1994/1269), the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Mr. Ahmet Engin Ansay, Permanent Observer of the Organization of the Islamic Conference to the United Nations.

Letter dated 2 November 1994 from the President of the Trusteeship Council addressed to the President of the Security Council

In a letter dated 2 November 1994 addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/1994/1234), the President of the Trusteeship Council transmitted, on behalf of the members of the Trusteeship Council, the text of a draft resolution recommended by the Trusteeship Council for adoption by the Security Council on the status of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands (Palau).

The Security Council met to consider the item at its 3455th meeting, held on 10 November 1994.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of Australia, at his request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution (S/1994/1264) submitted by China, France, the Russian Federation, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America,

which incorporated the text of the draft resolution recommended by the Trusteeship Council.

The Security Council then proceeded to vote on the draft of the draft resolution (S/1994/1264) and adopted it unanimously as resolution 956 (1994) (for the full text, see S/RES/956 (1994); to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Forty-ninth Year, Resolutions and decisions of the Security Council, 1994).